

Yudkin

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Dear John:

I have just returned from my long (and productive and interesting) visit in Australia, and am anxious to proceed now with the transatlantic verification of your proflavine-resistance transformation experiments. Thank you very much for sending the ms. and the cultures.

I note, however, that the cultures are labelled R1 and 36 respectively, and thus do not include your customary donor "M4". While I realize that we might do as well to select our own mutants, and I would do this in due course, I would be much happier for a verification to have the original strains as closely as possible. May I trouble you for the M4 at this time?

Also, I observe that this is paper # 6 of a series. Are the others to be in the shortly forthcoming Ciba volume? If not, can you give me the citations, as you make some mention of details of media and chemicals to be found in the earlier numbers.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,